

CALFED BAY-DELTA PROGRAM

Public Meetings 1995

FINDING LONG-TERM SOLUTIONS TO BAY-DELTA SYSTEM PROBLEMS

Your Opportunity to Help Define Bay-Delta Problems and Program Objectives

CALFED was formed in June 1994 by state and federal agencies with management and regulatory responsibility in the Bay-Delta system to work together to stabilize, protect, restore, and enhance the Bay-Delta system. In December 1994 state and federal agencies, working with various interests, reached a three year agreement on recommended water quality standards and related provisions of the Bay-Delta Agreement. While this was a turning point in Bay-Delta management efforts, long-term solutions to the problems associated with the Bay-Delta system still need to be defined.

The CALFED Bay-Delta Program was created to develop a comprehensive and balanced plan that addresses all of the resource problems. Through as much public involvement as possible, the first phase of the program is to define the problems associated with the Bay-Delta system and develop a range of solution alternatives for future analysis. Public workshops have been scheduled through 1995 for various interests to work together to define problems and potential solutions in detail.

To keep you informed of this process, a series of public meetings has been scheduled throughout the state through early 1996. These meetings are intended to involve and inform you about planning activities and results of the public workshops. These meetings will also give you an opportunity to comment and make suggestions as we develop the first phase of the CALFED Bay-Delta Program. We encourage you to attend one or more of the public meetings scheduled to help us define and solve the problems of the Bay-Delta system.

Public Meetings Schedule

A series of public meetings has been scheduled throughout the state to encourage your involvement and participation in this process. At these meetings we will discuss a general overview of the CALFED Bay-Delta Program with specific attention upon:

- · Ecosystem Quality
 - Water Quality
 - Water Supply Reliability
 - Vulnerability of Bay-Delta System Functions

These meetings will be held in the evenings. The dates, times, and locations of the meetings are as follows:

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25 Oakland

7:00 p.m.

MetroCenter Building - Auditorium 101 Eighth Street

Auto Access to the MetroCenter

- Traveling south on Route 980, take the Jackson St. Exit and go straight on 5th, left on Oak and left on 8th.
- Traveling north on the Nimitz (Rte. 880 formerly Rte. 17), take the Oak St. Exit.

Parking:

Oakland Museum - 11th & Oak (Underground parking, entrance on Oak between 11th & 12th). Metered parking available on streets in the MetroCenter vicinity - Parking lot behind the MetroCenter is for BART patrons only.

Public Transit Access to the MetroCenter

BART:

Lake Merritt Station on the Fremont Line

AC Transit:

Lines 11, 59, 59A, 62, 35X, 36X

Additional future public meetings will be held...
November 28 in Costa Mesa
December 19 in Redding
January 24 in Fresno



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